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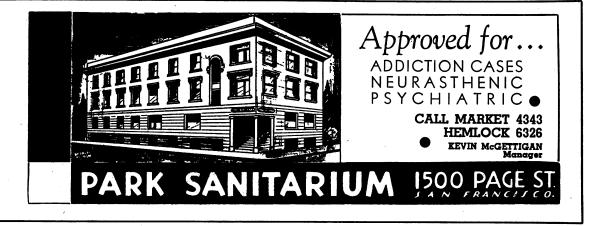
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SEVENTY-THIRD ANNUAL SESSION-IN LOS ANGELES, SUNDAY-MONDAY. MAY 7-8, 1944

A Two-Day Streamlined Session.—Wartime conditions explain the reasons for holding a twoinstead of the usual four-day annual session, and why it has been found necessary to meet in Los Angeles for two successive years. Originally, it was planned to convene in San Francisco, but the hotel facilities of former days no longer exist in the northern city, since it has now become the major port of embarkation for military and supply outfits going out into the Pacific war zone.

The plan for this year's session conforms to the general program so well carried out last year: on Sunday morning, a first general or organization meeting, with addresses by President Karl L. Schaupp and Guest Speaker Alice Hamilton, Professor of Industrial Medicine at Harvard Medical School; on Sunday afternoon, a general meeting, in which a symposium on amputations will be presented by military colleagues from the U. S. Naval Hospital at Mare Island; on Monday morning, the third general meeting, with emphasis on topics concerned with internal medicine; and on Monday afternoon, the programs of the thirteen scientific sections: Anesthesiology; Dermatology and Syphilology; Eye, Ear, Nose, and Throat; General Medicine; General Surgery; Industrial Medicine and Surgery; Neuropsychiatry; Obstetrics and Gynecology; Pathology and Bacteriology; Pediatrics; Public Health; Radiology; and Urology.

Dinner to the President, and the Scientific Meetings.—The Dinner to the President will be held on Sunday evening, May 7, in the Biltmore Bowl. Last year the attendance at the dinner was in excess of nine hundred persons. Because of food-rationing restrictions, those who are contemplating being present at the dinner and entertainment will be obliged to make their reservations in ample time. The local Committee on Arrangements, Dr. Lewis Alesen, Chairman, will issue information thereon in due course. Be governed accordingly.

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